



## DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT REPORT

(October 1, 2001 through September 30, 2002)

### PROCESSING OF FOIA REQUESTS

Number of FOIA Requests Received During Reporting Period	<u>3839</u>
Number of FOIA Requests Pending on September 30 of the Preceding Reporting Period	<u>164</u>
Median Number of Days FOIA Requests Pending at the end of the Preceding Fiscal Year	<u>3</u>

### DISPOSITION OF FOIA REQUESTS

Number of Requests Granted	<u>2915</u>
Number of Requests Granted, in Part, Denied, in Part	<u>183</u>
Number of Requests Denied	<u>97</u>
Number of Requests Withdrawn	<u>22</u>
Number of Requests Referred to Other Public Bodies	<u>128</u>
Other Disposition	<u>183</u>

### NUMBER OF TIMES EACH FOIA EXEMPTION WAS INVOKED

1. Exemption 1 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(1)	<u>42</u>
2. Exemption 2 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(2)	<u>78</u>
3. Exemption 3 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(3)	<u>58</u>
a. Subcategory (A)	<u>21</u>
b. Subcategory (B)	<u>22</u>
c. Subcategory (C)	<u>110</u>
d. Subcategory (D)	<u>2</u>
e. Subcategory (E)	<u>17</u>
f. Subcategory (F)	<u>3</u>
4. Exemption 4 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(4)	<u>50</u>
5. Exemption 5 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(5)	<u>3</u>

6. Exemption 6 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(6)	<u>66</u>
a. Subcategory (A)	<u>32</u>
b. Subcategory (B)	<u>21</u>
7. Exemption 7 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(7)	<u>0</u>
8. Exemption 8 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(8)	<u>0</u>
9. Exemption 9 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(9)	<u>0</u>

#### TIME-FRAMES FOR PROCESSING FOIA REQUESTS

Number of FOIA Requests Processed Within 10 days	<u>2126</u>
Number of FOIA Requests Processed Between 11 and 20 days	<u>502</u>
Number of FOIA Requests Processed in 21 days or more	<u>954</u>
Median Number of Days to Process FOIA Requests	<u>12</u>

#### RESOURCES ALLOCATED TO PROCESSING FOIA REQUESTS

Number of Hours Staff Devoted to Processing FOIA Requests	<u>21,516.50</u>
Total Dollar Amount Expended by Public Body for Processing FOIA Requests	<u>\$ 847, 162.76</u>

#### FEES FOR PROCESSING FOIA REQUESTS

Total Amount of Fees Collected by Public Body	<u>\$ 35,097.50</u>
Total Amount of Fees Waived by Public Body	<u>\$ 17,296.90</u>

#### ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS/PETITIONS FOR REVIEW

Number of Appeals/Petitions for Review filed with the Mayor	<u>43</u>
Results of Appeals/Petitions to the Mayor	
Number of Appeals/Petitions Sustained/Granted	<u>9</u>
Number of Appeals/Petitions Denied or Dismissed	<u>4</u>
Number of Appeals Withdrawn	<u>3</u>
Number of Appeals Remanded to Agency	<u>16</u>
Reason for the action upon each appeal that results in a denial of information	
1. Exemption 1 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(1)	<u>0</u>
2. Exemption 2 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(2)	<u>0</u>
3. Exemption 3 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(3)	<u>1</u>
a. Subcategory (A)	<u>1</u>

b. Subcategory (B)	<u>0</u>
c. Subcategory (C)	<u>0</u>
d. Subcategory (D)	<u>0</u>
e. Subcategory (E)	<u>0</u>
f. Subcategory (F)	<u>0</u>
4. Exemption 4 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(4)	<u>0</u>
5. Exemption 5 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(5)	<u>0</u>
6. Exemption 6 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(6)	<u>2</u>
a. Subcategory (A)	<u>1</u>
b. Subcategory (B)	<u>0</u>
7. Exemption 7 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(7)	<u>0</u>
8. Exemption 8 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(8)	<u>0</u>
9. Exemption 9 - D.C. Official Code § 2-534(a)(9)	<u>0</u>

#### PROSECUTIONS PURSUANT TO SECTION 207(d) OF THE D.C. FOIA

Number of Employees Found Guilty of a Misdemeanor for 0  
 Arbitrarily or Capriciously Violating Any Provision of  
 the District of Columbia Freedom of Information Act

#### QUALITATIVE DESCRIPTION OR SUMMARY STATEMENT

Pursuant to section 208(a)(9) of the D.C. FOIA, provide in the space below or as an attachment, “[a] qualitative description or summary statement, and conclusions drawn from the data regarding compliance [with the provisions of the Act].”